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In re application of:
Lowry et al.

Serial No.: 09/865,232

Filed: May 25, 2001

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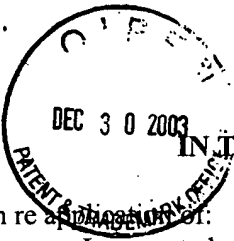
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action of September 30, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.



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Enclosed are the following regarding the above-identified patent application:

1. Amendment in response to the September 30, 2003, Office Action;
2. Transmittal sheet in duplicate; and
3. Return postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any further fees associated with any of the papers submitted herewith or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1394.

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